

Department of Chemistry & Physics

CHEM 1091 INTRODUCTORY CHEMISTRY LABORATORY (1-0-2).

Prerequisite:	Registration in or credit for 1080										
Text:	Chemical Education Resources Laboratory Separates										
Additional Materials:	Departmentally approved Safety Glasses & Calculator										
Grades:	<p>This is a pass/fail course. Your grades will be determined based on the following factors.</p> <table><tr><td>Pre-lab quizzes</td><td>20%</td></tr><tr><td>Complete lab reports</td><td>60%</td></tr><tr><td>Final exam</td><td>20%</td></tr><tr><td>Pass</td><td>70% or above</td></tr><tr><td>Fail</td><td>less than 70%</td></tr></table>	Pre-lab quizzes	20%	Complete lab reports	60%	Final exam	20%	Pass	70% or above	Fail	less than 70%
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Attendance:	<p>You are required to attend every class period; however, if one lab is missed, you must submit a valid excuse (as determined by the instructor) within one week of the absence. This lab will be made up during the scheduled time. Failure to complete all experiments will result in a failing grade.</p>										
Safety:	<p>Safety in the chemistry laboratory is a top priority. Appropriate dress and safety equipment must be worn and safety regulations adhered to all times. A student showing up to lab without required safety dress/equipment will not be permitted to enter the lab. Failure to follow safety rules will result in removal from the class and zero grade for that lab report with no allowance for a make-up.</p>										
Course Goals:	<p>This course is intended:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To introduce students to standard laboratory techniques.2. To encourage prudence in the use of chemicals.3. To allow our students to see chemistry in action and perform experiments on their own or in groups.4. To introduce students to the process of collecting and recording data.										
Course Objectives:	<p>The student who successfully complete this course should be able :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To identify and use common laboratory glassware and equipment.2. To practice laboratory safety.3. To properly read, understand, and follow simple laboratory procedures and guidelines.4. To make simple measurements and record observations in and orderly fashion.										

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